GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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Fire Incidents in Trains
Senguttuvan Shri Balasubramaniam

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the incidents of fire accidents in the coaches of trains are on the increase;

(b) if so, the details thereof during the last three years and the current year with the details as to the number of persons killed, seriously hurt and the value of the property lost in these accidents;

(c) whether the Railways has installed fire alarm or warning systems at least in all AC coaches of the superfast Rajdhani, Shatabdi, Garib Rath and Duranto Trains and if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the other steps taken by the Government to reduce the number of fire accidents on the trains?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

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